



The Schulich School of Medicine & Dentistry at the University of Western Ontario is home to a range of undergraduate, professional, graduate and postgraduate programs. The school has more than 1,800 faculty and 2,800 students and trainees. Its mission is to provide outstanding education within a research-intensive environment where tomorrow's physicians, dentists and health researchers learn to be socially responsible leaders.

Western's Faculty of Medicine was established in 1881; the Faculty of Dentistry was created in 1964. The two merged in 1997, and in 2005, the faculty was renamed the Schulich School of Medicine & Dentistry in recognition of a \$26-million donation from Seymour Schulich.

The school's research mission is substantial, accounting for more than \$140 million in research funding annually. It is home to the internationally renowned Robarts Research Institute, 22 Canada research chairs and hundreds of world-class research teams and investigators.

Medical students and residents receive clinical training in more than 40 rural and regional communities through the school's Southwestern Ontario Medical Education Network. In September 2008, the school's Windsor Program was launched in partnership with the University of Windsor and Windsor hospitals. The program will train 24 students per year for their four-year MD program in Windsor and the surrounding region.

The school partners with hospitals, health systems and research labs regionally, nationally and internationally. In London, Ontario, its closest partners are London Health Sciences Centre, St. Joseph's Health Care London and the Lawson Health Research Institute.

"The world's best research-intensive universities often feature a strong medical school at their core. At Western, the Schulich School of Medicine & Dentistry has 130 years of history, yet is focused on the next century of healthcare needs. Western's medical school is known for exceptional clinical education, focused on patient-centred care and social accountability. We have world-class researchers working together across multiple disciplines and multiple institutions to create better solutions for the most critical health issues of today and tomorrow."

Dr. Michael J. Strong

Dean, Schulich School of Medicine & Dentistry
University of Western Ontario
Appointed dean in July 2010



QUICK FACTS

Founded: 1881

Location: London, ON

Length of Program: 4 years

Language of Instruction: English

2010/11 New Admissions into Year One: 171

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